

INVITATION TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids, subject to the conditions contained herein, will be accepted by the Warren County Financial Management Committee at the Warren County Administrative Building, Office of the Finance Department, 201 Locust Street, Suite 2, McMinnville, Tennessee, 37110, up to but no later than **10:00 AM** Central Time on **AUGUST 25, 2015** and then publicly opened and read for the furnishing of all labor, material, equipment, and services for the Bridge Replacement on White Hall Road over Unnamed Branch in Warren County, Tennessee.

The work to be bid will be to replace the roadway crossing on White Hall Road over Unnamed Branch in Warren County. The work will include traffic control, clearing and grubbing, removal and disposal of existing pipes, channel excavation, construction of a single barrel 14' x 5' TDOT reinforced standard concrete box culvert, backfilling, roadway grading, mineral aggregate, rip-rap, and erosion and sediment controls in compliance with permits issued by TDEC and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents may be obtained from **Professional Engineering Services, 189 Mose Drive, Suite 102, Sparta, Tennessee, 38583, upon payment of \$ 200.00 per set (non-refundable)**. Bids shall be submitted on the separate copy of the PROPOSAL supplied for this purpose. Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents must be purchased from PES prior to the bid opening for a bid to be considered qualified.

Plans and Specifications may be reviewed at the following locations:

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| 1) Warren County Highway Department
1520 Old Smithville Road
McMinnville, Tennessee 37110
(931) 473-2007 | 2) Professional Engineering Services
189 Mose Drive, Suite 102
Sparta, Tennessee 38583
(931) 739-3765 | 3) iSqFt
1811 Church St.
Nashville, TN 37203
800-364-2059 |
| 4) Builders Exchange of TN
Office & Plan Room
2728 Eugenia Ave, Ste. 108
Nashville, TN 37211
(865) 525-0443 | 5) AGC Plan Room
101 West 21 st Street
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37408
(423) 265-1111 | 6) NCA Reprographics
701 E. Spring St.
Cookeville, TN 38501
(931) 528-9223 |

All bidders must be licensed general contractors as required by the Contractor's Licensing Act of 1976 of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee and qualified for the type of construction being bid upon. Each bidder shall write on the outside of the envelope containing his bid (1) his contractor's license number, (2) the license expiration date, and (3) that part of the classification (HRA-C) applying to the bid. The bid will be returned unopened if the above information is not labeled as directed.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Liquidated damages in the amount designated in the Specifications and Contract Documents will be assessed for failure to complete the work within the contract completion time as specified therein.

For more information regarding bids, please contact Warren County Road Superintendent Levie Glenn at (931) 473-2007, Professional Engineering Services at (931) 739-3765 or Warren County Finance Director Linda G. Hillis at (931) 473-2381 ext. 1001.

Bids will be awarded accordingly as prescribed by law, which states "lowest and best." A Supreme Court ruling states that the discerning of best lies solely on those requesting the bid and not the bidder. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of Sixty (60) Days after date set for opening of the bids.

The right is reserved as the interest of Warren County, Tennessee may require to accept or reject any or all bids received, to accept or reject any item thereon, to waive any informalities in bidding, and/or to abandon or postpone this project without any obligation to bidders. In case of tie bids, Warren County, Tennessee reserves the right to negotiate with bidders.

WARREN COUNTY FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Linda G. Hillis, Finance Director
Herschel Wells, County Executive

**PUBLIC NOTICE
TITLE VI OF THE 1964 CIVIL RIGHTS ACT**

“No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.”